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trying to work out details, trying to work out the mechanisms to make this thing work. We have two more years in which to do that and I am more than willing to make any changes that are necessary to do to make it work. What we have here is an opportunity to vote on something that is going to make education accountable in this state. We have that opportunity today. I think we should vote to advance this bill, then I'm willing to work on it between General and Select and try and address Senator Warner's concerns, some of these other concerns that we have with the bill. I'll continue to work with it, but for today I would just encourage you to advance this bill from General File to Select. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The question before the body is the advancement of LB 183 to E & R Initial. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. On the advancement of the bill, have you all voted? A record vote has been requested. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 906-07 of the Legislative Journal.) 29 ayes, 13 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 183.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The bill is advanced. There is an A bill, ladies and gentlemen. Is it possible that we could handle the A bill before we adjourn for lunch?(LB 183A)

SENATOR BAACK: We can do anything you want, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Mr. Clerk.

SENATOR BAACK: The A bill for this, I think it's \$70,000 and what it is, is the Department of Education has said that they will need some money to deal with the appeals. They have no idea how many there will be, but they are basing that on kind of the same costs that they do for the freeholder petition appeals, so that's all that it is for, \$70,000.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Any discussion? Seeing none, those in favor of the advancement of LB 183A vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 183A.